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I've got them...

SPEAKER: Senator Barnett's amendment is on page 1406 of the Legislative Journal. Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: I move for the adoption of this amendment and I'll tell you why we need it. I have already spoken and told you why we need it and according to Ralph Nelson of the city Council of the City of Lincoln that is in conflict with LB660 which we passed. There is an 860 in that bill the federal regulations as I understand it is 860 and that is needed in there. Now there is one correction needed and if you will look at this amendment page 1406, in the third line it says the Journal by striking in lines 2 and 3 there of. Before the word man, I've got to strike the word four, out of there also. It has got to be added so it will read, The fare on the regular transit buses for those persons 60 years of age or older and shall go on with the new language, and then at the bottom on Duke's where he adds after it says or city which ever has jurisdiction, this gives the people the local jurisdiction and it is not just Omaha but other transits and it doesn't make it a conflict in the constitution in the statutes, in the state of Nebraska. It has got to be for everybody. That is what it will do, and I move for the adoption of this amendment. That is all that it does.

SPEAKER: Senator Skarda, did you want the floor?

SENATOR SKARDA: Mr. President, I would like to direct a question to Senator Snyder. There are two specific reasons for me to ask and one is that we retain the 10¢ fare as I understand it plus the two mil increase, is that correct to make it three?

SENATOR SNYDER: As 875 is now, yes.

SENATOR SKARDA: Yes, that is what I want to know.

SPEAKER: Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I would support Senator Barnett, I think that is fair and equitable.

SPEAKER: Senator Barnett is closing.

SENATOR BARNETT: Waive it.

SPEAKER: Excuse me, Senator Syas is requesting the floor.

SENATOR SYAS: Just to tell the the people, and I'm not going to try and stop his amendments, but this cost Omaha \$600,000.

SPEAKER: Senator Barnett is closing. Senator Barnett is waiving the closing, are you ready for the question? The question is, the motion is by Senator Barnett, to adopt his amendment. All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? We are voting on the Barnett amendment. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays and 22 not voting.

SPEAKER: Barnett amendment is adopted. Are there further amendments to the bill? Senator Snyder what will you do with the bill?